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Amendment dated August 30, 2006  
Reply to Office Action of June 6, 2006

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### **REMARKS**

Entry of the amended claims is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 since the amendments: (1) place the application in condition for allowance (for the reasons discussed herein); (2) do not raise any new issues requiring further search and/or consideration (since the amendments amplify issues previously discussed throughout prosecution without incorporating additional subject matter); (3) satisfy a requirement of form asserted in the previous Office Action; and/or (4) place the application in better form for appeal (if necessary). Entry is thus requested.

By the present response, Applicant has amended claim 15 to further clarify the invention. Claims 4-12 and 14-17 are pending in this application. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested in view of the above amendments and the following remarks.

In the Office Action, claims 15-17 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent No. 6,751,233 (Hann) in view of U.S. Patent No. 6,175,567 (Yoo). Claims 4-12 and 14 have been allowed.

#### **Allowed Claims**

Applicant thanks the Examiner for allowing claims 4-12 and 14.

#### **35 U.S.C. § 103 Rejections**

Claims 15-17 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Hann in view of Yoo. Regarding claim 15, Applicant submits that this claim has been amended

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with subject matter deemed allowable by the Examiner. Accordingly, Applicant submits that this claim is patentable over the cited references at least for these reasons. Claims 16 and 17 are dependent on independent claim 15 and are patentable at least for the same reasons noted regarding this independent claim.

Accordingly, Applicant submits that none of the cited references, taken alone or in any proper combination, disclose suggest or render obvious the limitations in the combination of each of claims 15-17 of the present application. Applicant respectfully requests that these rejections be withdrawn and that these claims be allowed.

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### CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicant submits that claims 4-12 and 14-17 are now in condition for allowance. Accordingly, early allowance of such claims is respectfully requested. If the Examiner believes that any additional changes would place the application in better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney, Frederick D. Bailey, at the telephone number listed below.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this, concurrent and future replies, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 16-0607 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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